IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant:

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Title:

THIOSEMICARBAZONES AS

ANTI-VIRALS AND

IMMUNOPOTENTIATORS

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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Mail Stop AMENDMENT Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Applicant hereby petitions the Commissioner under 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a) for a **five-month** extension of time for response in the above-identified application for the period required to make the attached response timely.

The extension fee for response within the fifth month is \$2,160.00. The fee associated with a five-month extension of time in the amount of \$2,160.00 (in accordance with 37 C.F.R. \$1.17(a)(5)) is paid herewith by credit card via EFS-Web.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required regarding this application under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16-1.17, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 50-0872. Should no proper payment be enclosed herewith, as by the credit

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card payment form being unsigned, providing incorrect information resulting in a rejected credit card transaction, or even entirely missing, the Commissioner is authorized to charge the unpaid amount to Deposit Account No. 50-0872.

Respectfully submitted,

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